

The listing of Claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Previously Presented) A power outlet assembly, comprising:
a frame;
a power outlet attached to the frame and configured to be connected to a power distribution network to provide access thereto; and
an indicator circuit attached to the frame, configured to be coupled to the power distribution network and operative to generate a sensory indication responsive to a power line carrier status signal received from the power distribution network, the power line carrier status signal indicating a status of a source of energy for the power distribution network.
2. (Cancelled).
3. (Previously Presented) The power outlet assembly of Claim 1 wherein the power line carrier status signal relates to an uninterruptible power supply (UPS).
4. (Previously Presented) The power outlet of Claim 1 wherein the source of energy comprises at least one of a current source of energy and a potential source of energy.
5. (Original) The power outlet of Claim 1 wherein the power line carrier status signal comprises a low impact signal and wherein the low impact signal comprises at least one of an analog signal and a digital bit stream.
6. (Original) The power outlet assembly of Claim 1 wherein the indicator circuit comprises a liquid crystal display and wherein the liquid crystal display is configured to display a first color responsive to a first state of the power line carrier status signal and display a second color, different from the first color, responsive to a second state of the power line carrier status signal.

7. (Original) The power outlet assembly of Claim 1, wherein the indicator circuit comprises an audio circuit.

8. (Previously Presented) A power outlet comprising an indicator circuit, the indicator circuit being coupled to a power distribution network and configured to generate a sensory indication responsive to a power line carrier status signal received from the power distribution network, the power line carrier status signal indicating a status of a source of energy for the power distribution network.

9. (Cancelled).

10. (Previously Presented) The power outlet of Claim 8 wherein the source of energy comprises at least one of a current source of energy and a potential source of energy.

11. (Previously Presented) The power outlet of Claim 8 wherein the indicator circuit is further configured to generate the sensory indication responsive to the power line carrier status signal when the indicator circuit electrically contacts an external probe device.

12. (Previously Presented) The power outlet of Claim 8 wherein the power line carrier status signal comprises a low impact signal and wherein the low impact signal comprises at least one of an analog signal and a digital bit stream.

13. (Original) The power outlet of Claim 8 wherein the indicator circuit comprises a liquid crystal display and wherein the liquid crystal display is configured to display a first color responsive to a first state of the power line carrier status signal and display a second color, different from the first color, responsive to a second state of the power line carrier status signal.

14. (Original) The power outlet of Claim 8 wherein the indicator circuit comprises an audio circuit.

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15-38. (Cancelled).